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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, ETRD, EEC GW

SUBJ: ATTITUDE OF GERMAN STEEL INDUSTRY TOWARDS EC MINIMUM  
PRICE PROPOSAL

REF: DUSSELDORF 1605

KRUPP HUETTENWERKE AG (BASIC STEEL PRODUCER WITHIN THE  
KRUPP COMPLEX) HAS PUBLISHED PRELIMINARY DATA FOR 1975  
SHOWING A DM 200 MILLION LOSS. HOWEVER, ACCORDING TO  
MANAGING DIRECTOR ROBERT MINTROP, ORDERS IN NOVEMBER AND  
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DECEMBER HAVE BEEN EXCEEDING PRODUCTION AND THE FIRM

HAS BEEN ABLE TO BOOK ORDERS FOR DELIVERY IN THE FIRST  
QUARTER OF 1976 AT PRICES FROM DM 50 TO 100 ABOVE CURRENT  
PRICES. MINTROP EXPECTS A FURTHER PRICE INCREASE FOR THE  
SECOND QUARTER OF 1976, AND ANTICIPATES THAT THE COMPANY  
WILL AGAIN BE OPERATING AT A PROFIT BY EARLY SUMMER. BLIGH

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